

# Vanderburgh County, IN Highlights

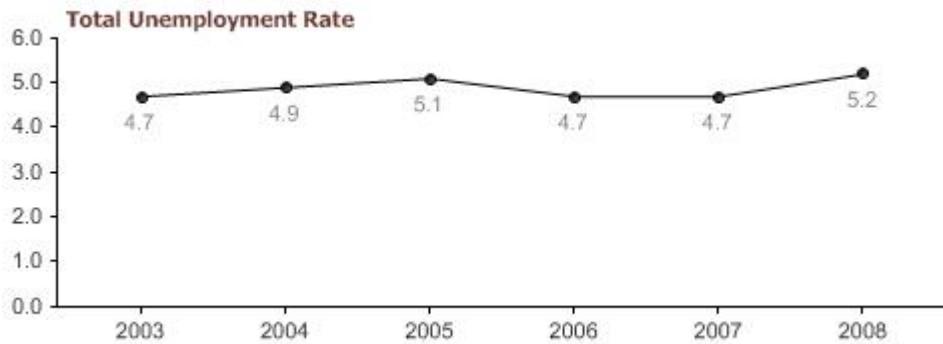
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## Labor Force

An area's labor force provides insight on the availability factor and is residence-based - that is, the people are working or seeking work and reside in the particular county or region.

### Annual Labor Force Estimates in 2008

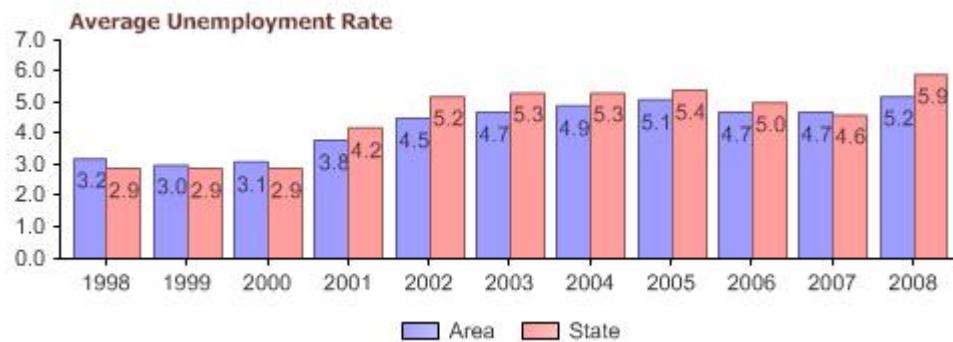
	Number	Pct. Chg. from 2000
<b>Labor Force</b>	90,699	0.5%
<b>Employed</b>	85,950	-1.7%
<b>Unemployed</b>	4,749	70.4%
<b>Rate</b>	5.2	67.7%



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

### Labor Force Estimates

	Labor Force	Emp.	Unemp.	Area Rate	State Rate
<b>1998</b>	91,097	88,227	2,870	3.2	2.9
<b>1999</b>	92,154	89,415	2,739	3.0	2.9
<b>2000</b>	90,204	87,417	2,787	3.1	2.9
<b>2001</b>	91,355	87,895	3,460	3.8	4.2
<b>2002</b>	92,439	88,239	4,200	4.5	5.2
<b>2003</b>	91,931	87,565	4,366	4.7	5.3
<b>2004</b>	90,497	86,059	4,438	4.9	5.3
<b>2005</b>	91,299	86,606	4,693	5.1	5.4
<b>2006</b>	91,461	87,131	4,330	4.7	5.0
<b>2007</b>	91,194	86,923	4,271	4.7	4.6
<b>2008</b>	90,699	85,950	4,749	5.2	5.9



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